



MY TAKE AWAY
THOUGHTS AND NOTES

TRINITY SUNDAY

June 11, 2017

10:00 a.m.

This service is being broadcast over radio station WATN 1240

* Indicates that those who are able may stand.

GATHERING

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My Father's World (hymn 143)

I Come to the Garden Alone (hymn 635)

Lift High the Cross (hymn 450)

Carl Bingle, FPC Organist

Alfred Fedak

Janet Linker

Alice Jordan

GREETING

Peace be with you.

And also with you.

PRELUDE

Let God Guide Thee

J. S. Bach

Bach employs two musical motifs simultaneously: The two inner voices' rhythmic figures express joy, while the step motif in the pedal bass represents our faith journey.

Carl Bingle, organ

CALL TO WORSHIP ~ adapted from Psalm 8

Leader: Splendor announces your name, O Lord.

Beauty reveals your intention.

Far above heaven, glory is secured.

**People: Out of the mouths of babes we hear,
From the lips of the innocent we perceive,
You are the strength of the pure of heart.**

What are we but a breath that fades?

Yet, you craft us with your image;

You mark our souls with an indelible glory.

What are we but a flash of glory?

Yet, you have put us above all -

Made our spirit an unfading glory.

Splendor announces your name, O Lord.

Beauty reveals your intention.

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***HYMN #401**

The Church's One Foundation

AURELIA

INVITATION TO REPENTANT PRAYERS

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, we sing and praise you, happy of heart and strong of spirit when we are among others who also praise you. But in times of stress, we seek scapegoats to be targets for our anger. We betray those who love and who have loved us and we turn against you. We get lost in the fury of the moment. Forgive us and help us to face our feelings honestly. Make us recognize and be grateful for your compassion and grace that are without bounds. With your steadfast love and the power of the Holy Spirit, we pray in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

A MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR PERSONAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

WORDS OF COMFORT AND FORGIVENESS

In our forsakenness, God is creating light. The One whose light illumines our defects and flaws is the same One who offers the gift of forgiveness. Receive the good news of the gospel: In Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

In Jesus Christ, you also are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

***TURN YOUR EYES UPON JESUS - Hymnal #340**

Turn your eyes upon Jesus, Look full in His wonderful face; And the things of earth will grow strangely dim In the light of His glory and grace.

LITURGIST WELCOME

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 49:1-6 (Old Testament, page 679 in pew Bibles)

ANTHEM

If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee

Neumark, arr. Lindh

Chancel Choir; Sarah Gleason, director; Phyllis Elmer, piano

CHILDREN'S TIME

“Trinity Sunday”

Rev. Dr. Marti Montovani

(At this time we invite all K-7th graders to join us for Sunday School. Please have children follow the teacher thru the door on the left. Children will meet parents in Fellowship Hall after the service.)

Hymn #209

This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made, that the Lord has made; We will rejoice, we will rejoice and be glad in it, and be glad in it. This is the day that the Lord has made; We will rejoice and be glad in it. This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made.

SECOND LESSON

Luke 23:13-25 (New Testament, pages 88-89 in pew Bibles)

SERMON

“The Fury of the Moment”

Rev. Dr. Fred Garry

***HYMN #553**

Nearer, My God, to Thee

BETHANY

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES

OFFERTORY

“Balm in Gilead”

Harry Burleigh

Nancy Boynton, mezzo-soprano

***BLESS THE LORD, O MY SOUL - Hymnal #58**

BLESS THE LORD

Bless the Lord, O my soul; Bless the Lord, O my soul; And all that is within me bless His holy name. Bless the Lord, O my soul; Bless the Lord, O my soul; And all that is within me bless His holy name.

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

SENDING

***HYMN #324**

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

HAMBURG

***THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

THE POSTLUDE

Rigaudon

André Campra (1660-1744)

Campra was Master of Music for Notre-Dame de Paris and the Royal Chapel at Versailles.

Carl Bingle, organ